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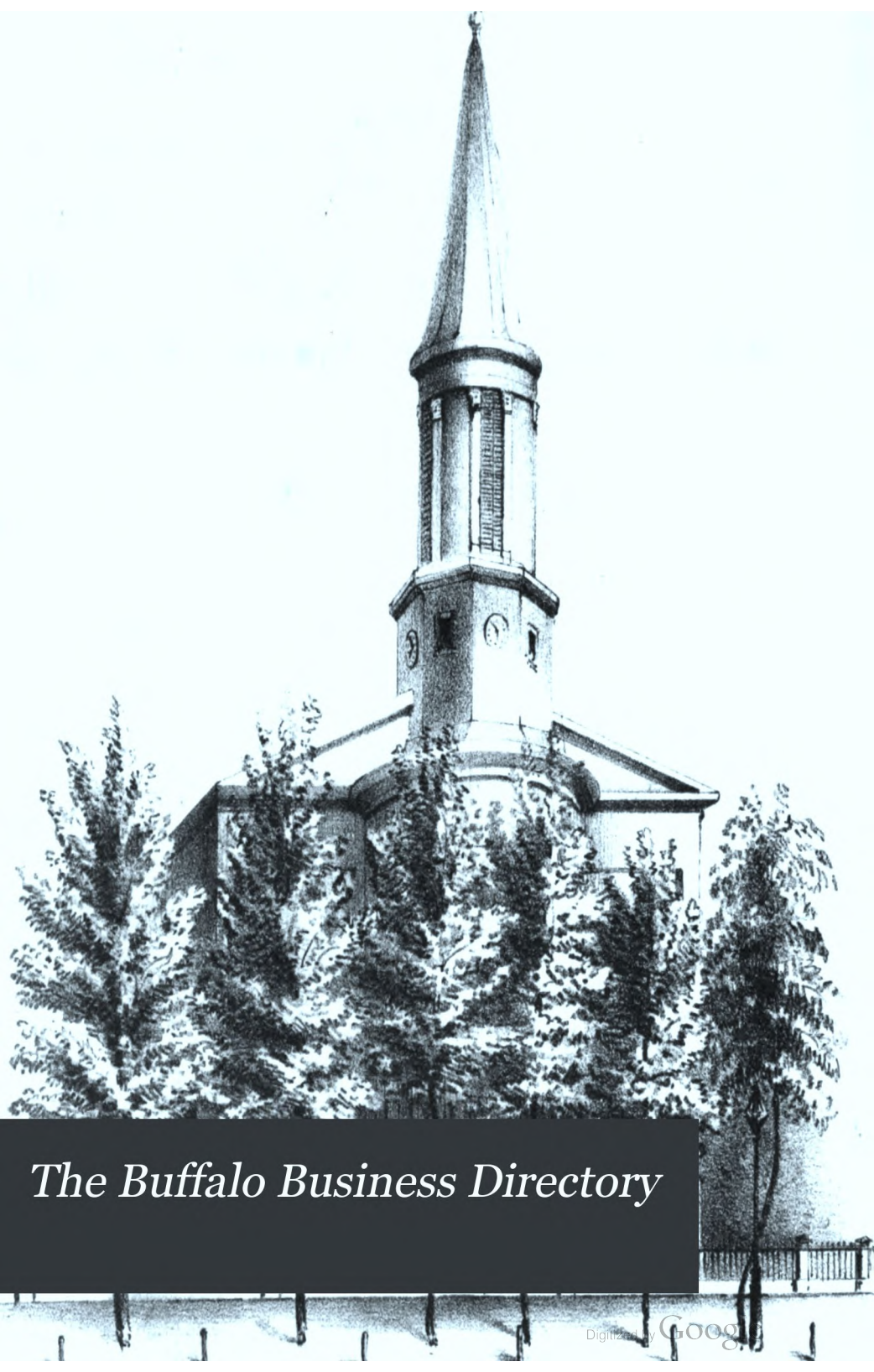
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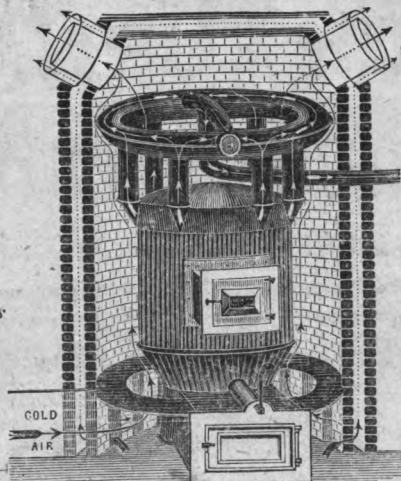
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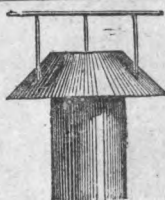


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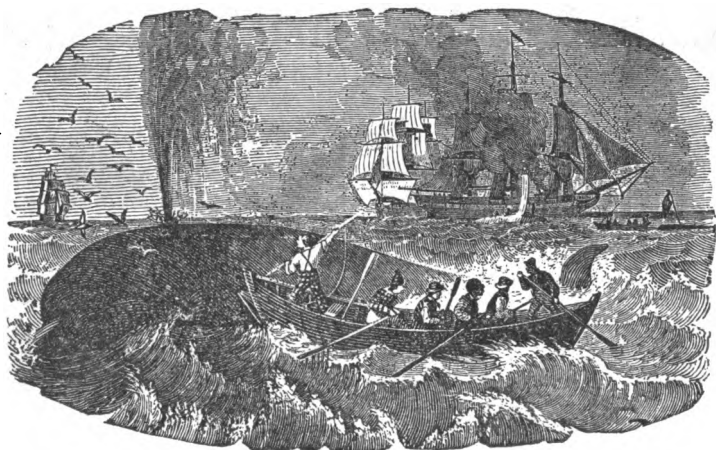
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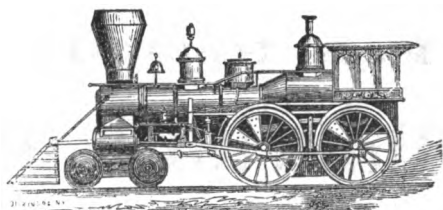
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In presenting this work to our patrons and the business community, we deem a few explanatory remarks necessary to this our first annual issue of the "*Buffalo Business Directory*." We have done all we could, considering the short space of time allotted, to render the volume which we now present to the public *valuable and acceptable to all*. The collecting of the matter for this volume has been attended with great labor and expense, and we trust and *believe* that any imperfections which may be discovered in the work will be overlooked by our patrons, to whom we pledge ourselves to make every improvement in our future issues which that best of teachers, "experience," shall suggest.

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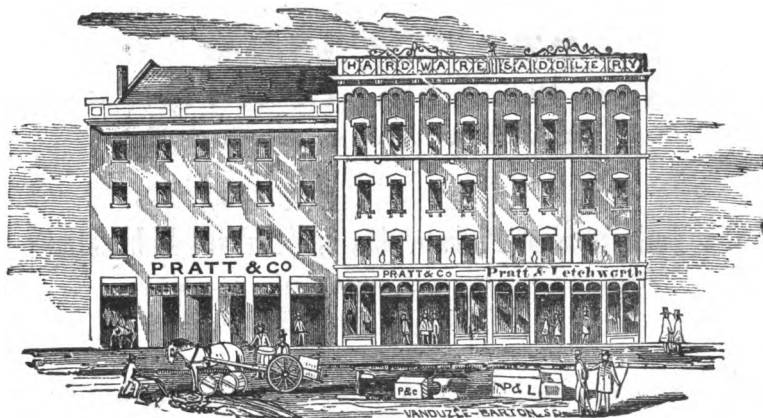
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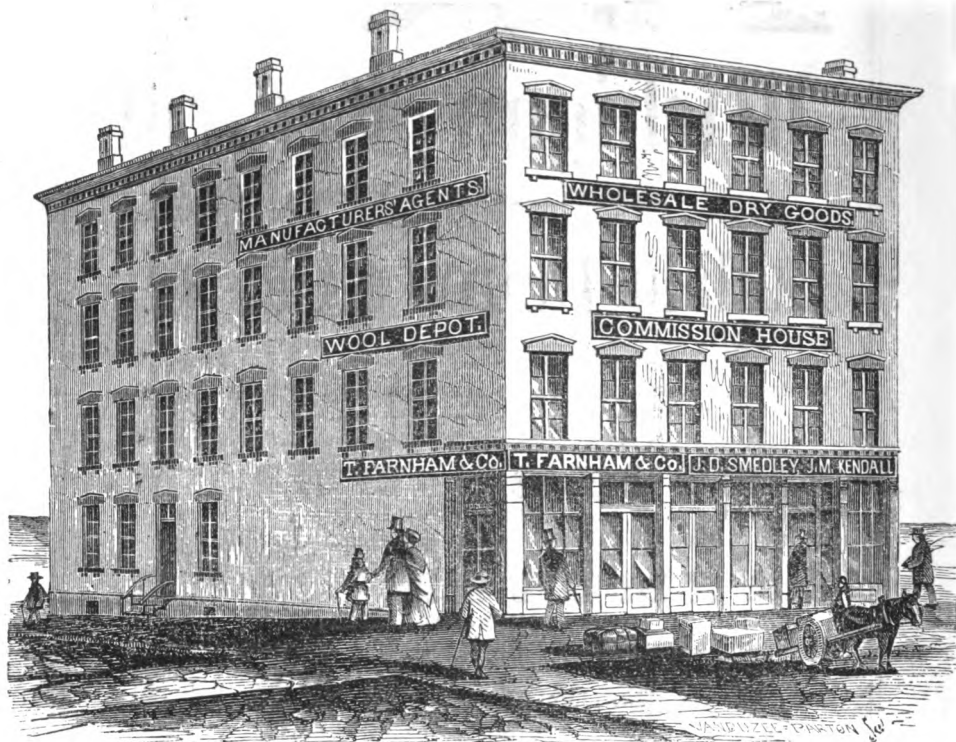
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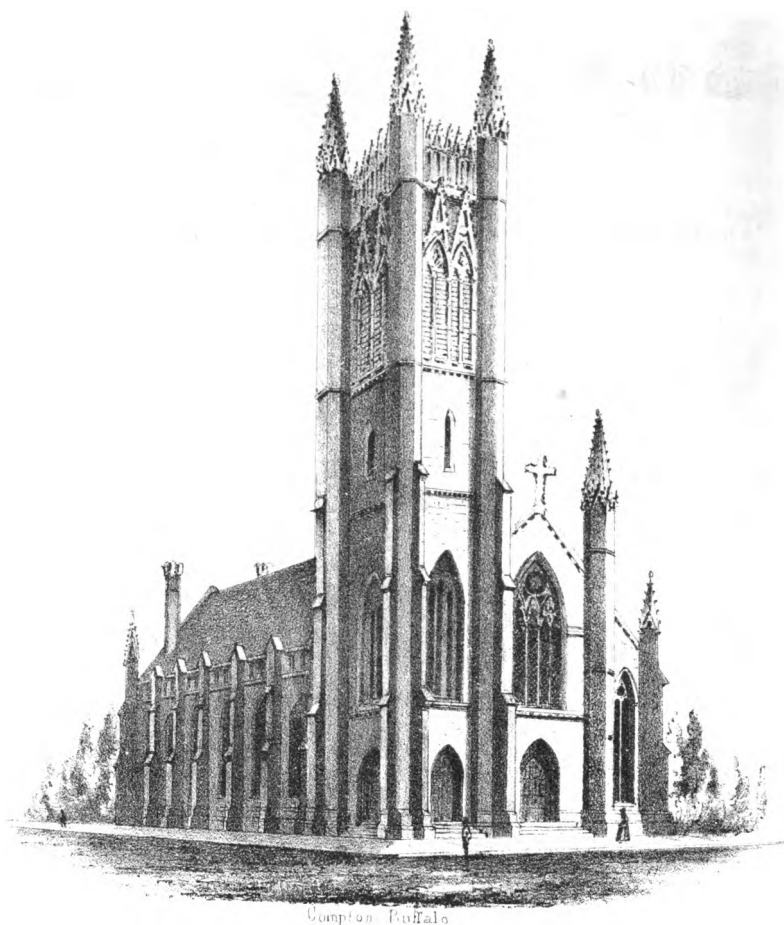
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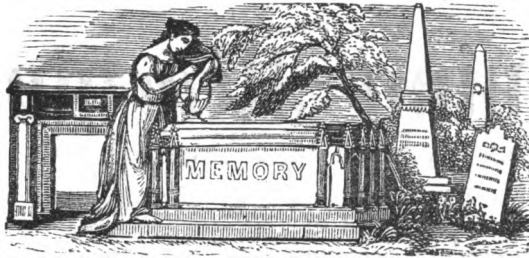
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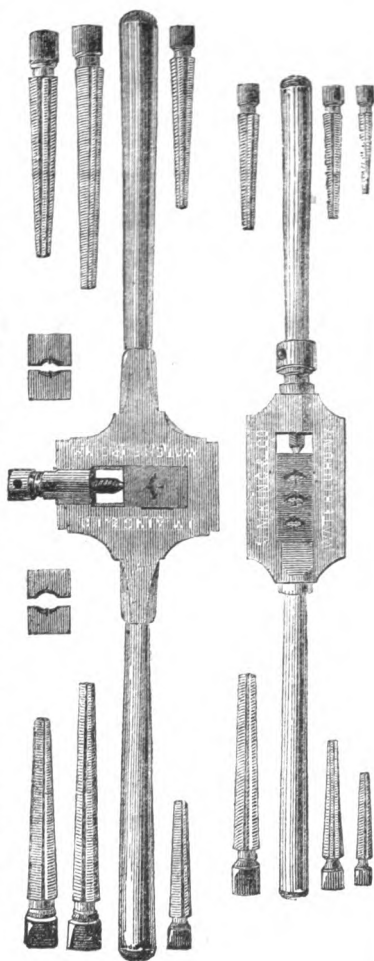
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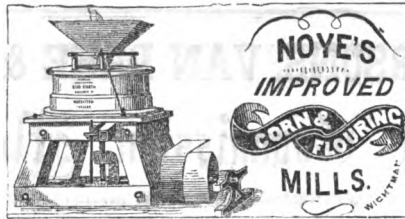
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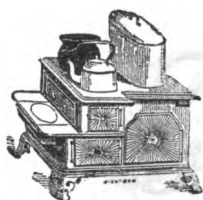
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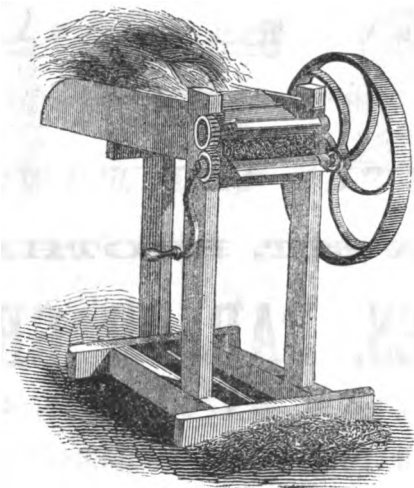
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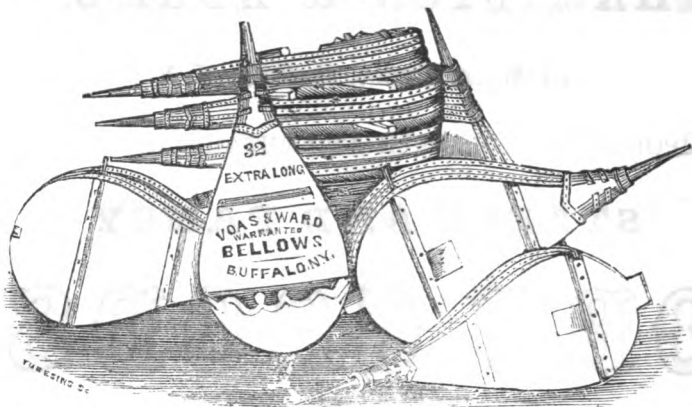
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The late JOHN JACOB ASTOR, as he left his native Germany, paused beneath a linden tree not far from the line that separated his native

land from another, and, made three resolutions which he intended should guide him through life: "1. I will be honest. 2. I will be industrious. 3. I will never gamble." He was on foot. His wealth was in the small bundle that swung from the stick laid on his shoulder. The world was before him. His success is the best comment on his endurance.

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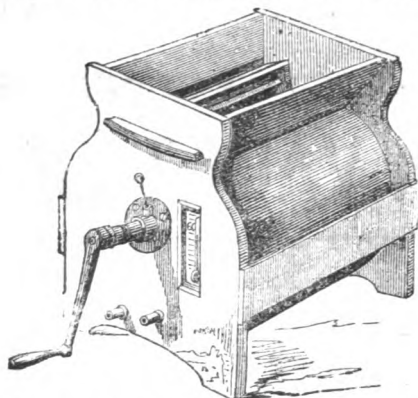
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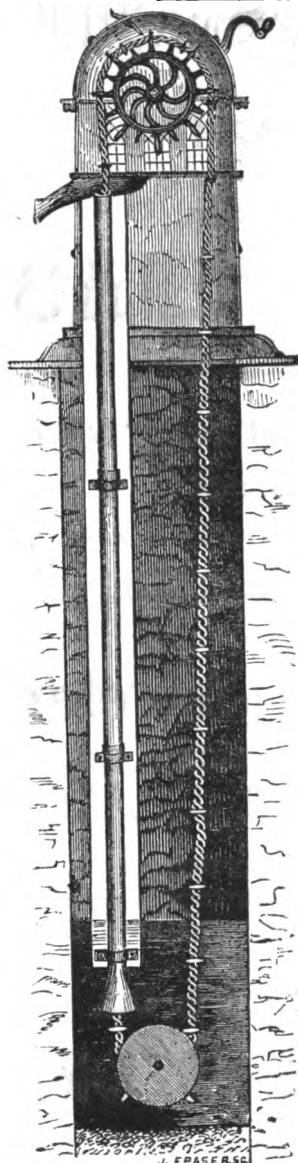
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- 4th.—Its freeing the skin from the effects of perspiration, scurf and dandruff, and disposing the hair to curl.
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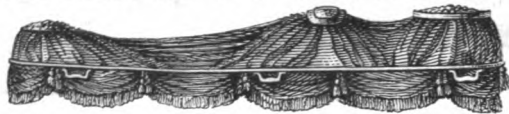
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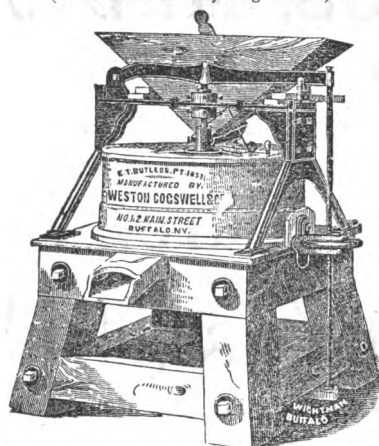
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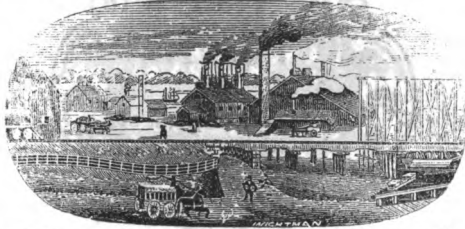
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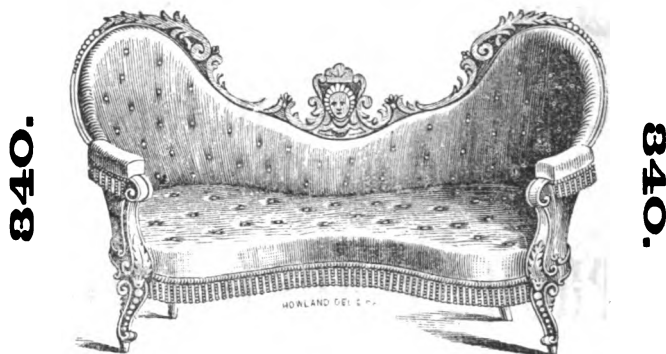
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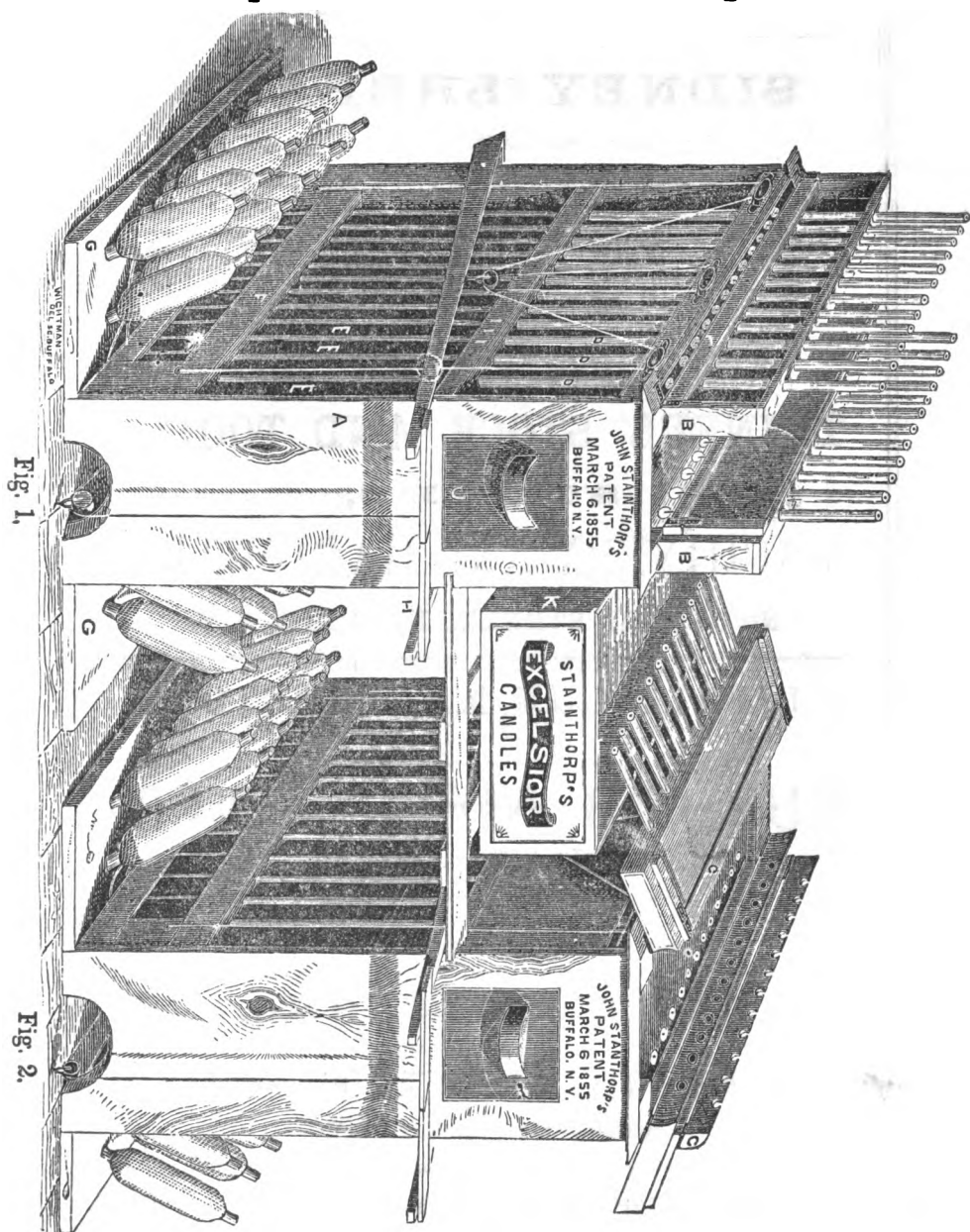
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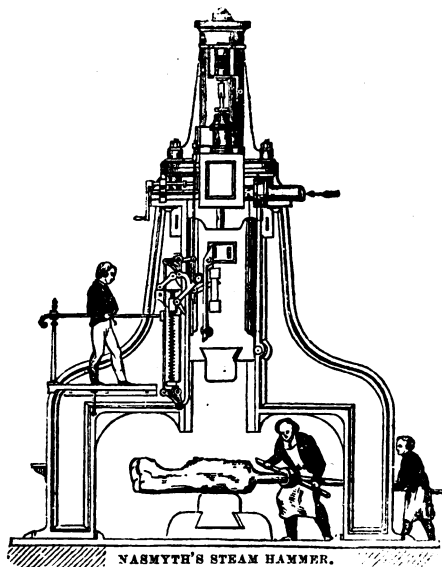
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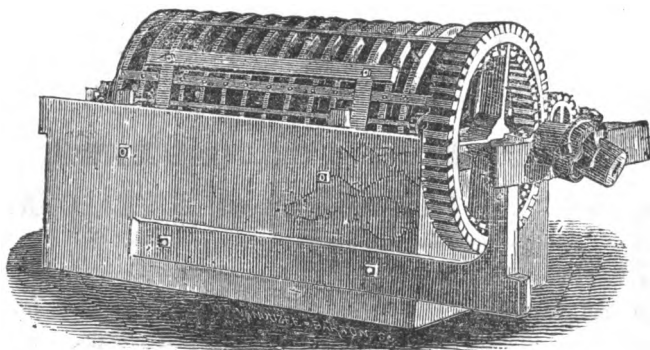
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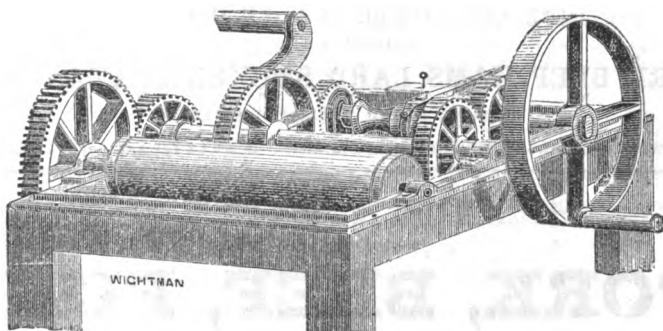
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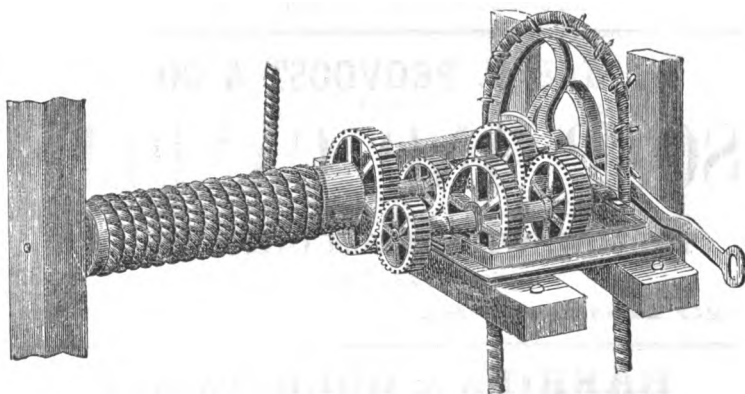
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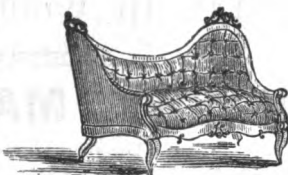
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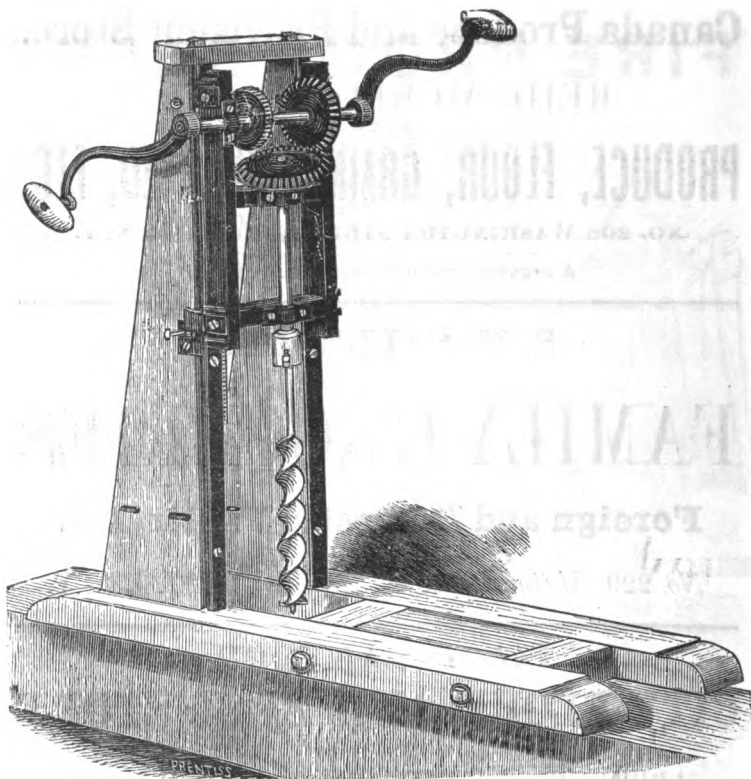
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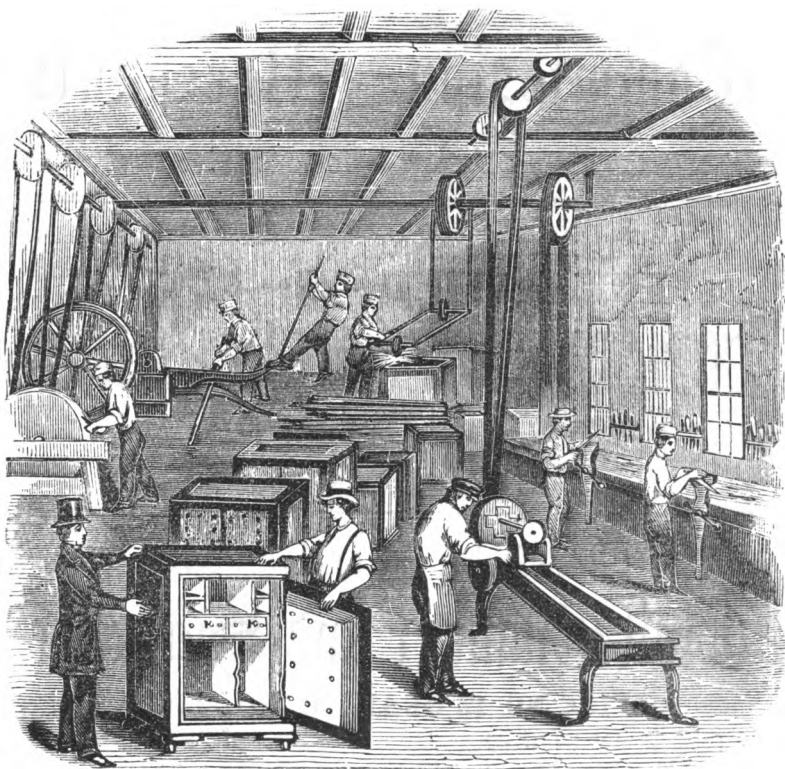
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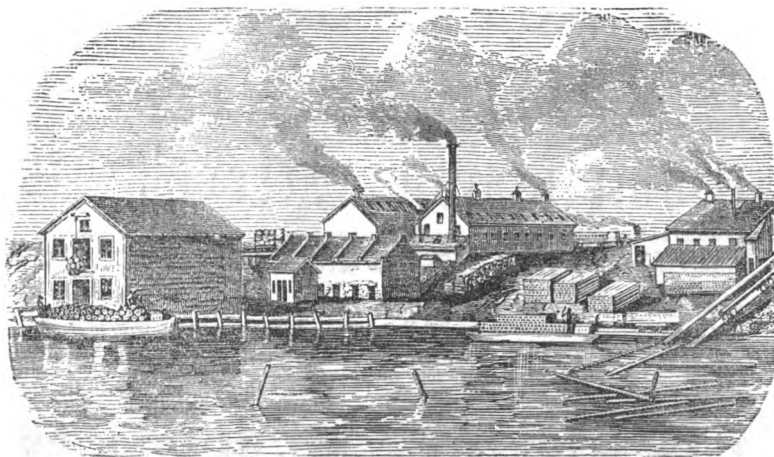
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VISIT TO AN ENGRAVING ESTABLISHMENT.—We yesterday spent an hour or two in rambling thro' the extensive establishment of R. J. COMPTON, the engraver and lithographer, and will endeavor to convey to our readers some idea of the peculiarities of the business, as they were pointed out to us.

The *ateliers* of Mr. COMPTON occupy part of the second and all the third, fourth and fifth stories over Sage & Sons' music store, No. 269 Main street. A neat office on the lower of these is occupied for the business transactions of the concern; and here are displayed numerous specimens of the various arts coming within the range of Mr. C.'s capacity of execution. Some of the engravings and lithographs here shown are among the very finest examples we have ever seen. Proceeding to the next story, we found a room occupied by artists engaged in engraving in its various branches. One at work designing a portrait upon stone; another was tracing the lines of a large and beautiful map of "Forest Lawn" Cemetery; another was drawing upon an enormous stone the minutely ramified limbs and twigs of a great family tree, belonging to one of our oldest Buffalo residents. In this room we were shown the wonderful and ingenious piece of mechanism by which the stone is actually engraved with medallions, tracery, clouds, &c., and which fulfils all the purposes attained in copper-plate engraving by the "geometric lathe" and "engine turning;" such work is noticeable in bank checks, drafts, some of the finer labels for druggists, etc., and comprises an inexhaustible variety of concentric and eccentric lines. The apparatus is from Germany, and cost about \$1000; it is the only one in the State out of New York. The process of engraving on stone is a new one, comparatively, and more nearly allied to copper-plate engraving than to the old lithographic method. The lines are etched in the stone precisely as they are cut into the copper. Parts of the map just spoken of, which is the topographical map, representing the face of the cemetery, are done in this way, but by hand. The lathe work is, some of it, exquisite; and it is one of the wonders of this piece of mechanism that any sized medallion or bas-relief may be copied by it and reduced to microscopic size, and yet remain perfect.

We saw here lithographic stones by the hundred, some of them as large as five feet by four' and costing \$150 each; they are imported from Germany. The ordinary lithographic work done by Mr. COMPTON is of a high order of excellence, and his orders are constant and numerous. We saw in operation no less than twelve presses for this kind of work; and to these will be added six more, as soon as, by means of a sky-light and other additions to the present establishment, light and room can be obtained. The upper two stories are occupied by presses, lithographic and copper-plate; one of the former of these is the largest to be found in the country, except in New York, and it is not exceeded in size by any there. The copper-plate presses are three in number and are constantly employed.

Of the specimens of his work shown us by Mr. C., we have only room to speak generally. A particularly extensive branch is the designing and printing of labels for Messrs. A. I. Mathews & Co., druggists and pharmacians. This department, though at first thought it may seem but a limited one, is really very important, so numerous are the varieties and so great the consumption of the articles. All these are executed in the finest style of art, and it would be difficult, if not impossible, to counterfeit, or imitate by fraud the simplest of the great assortment. Sage & Sons also afford steady employment to the establishment in the printing of music, of which they issue great quantities. And the processes here are as novel as curious. The music is first stamped, notes, marks, words and all, upon a sheet of soft metal, by hand, with steel dies; an impression is taken from this plate upon paper, and then transferred to stone; the music is then printed from the stone. Thus it is that this luxury is so cheaply and extensively disseminated. Turner & Co., makers of sarsaparilla, ginger wine and summer beverages, in Buffalo, New York and San Francisco, also have an enormous amount of work done by COMPTON, which is distributed all over the world. We were shown the process of printing in colors, from the stone, and saw a map, seven feet by five in size, printed in oil colors, and one of the finest pieces of work, ever done, of its kind, in America. In the line of copper-plate engraving we saw some beautiful specimens of cards, bank drafts, checks, &c., which we cannot more particularly enumerate.

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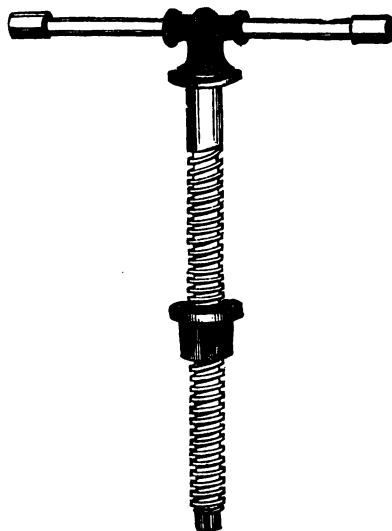
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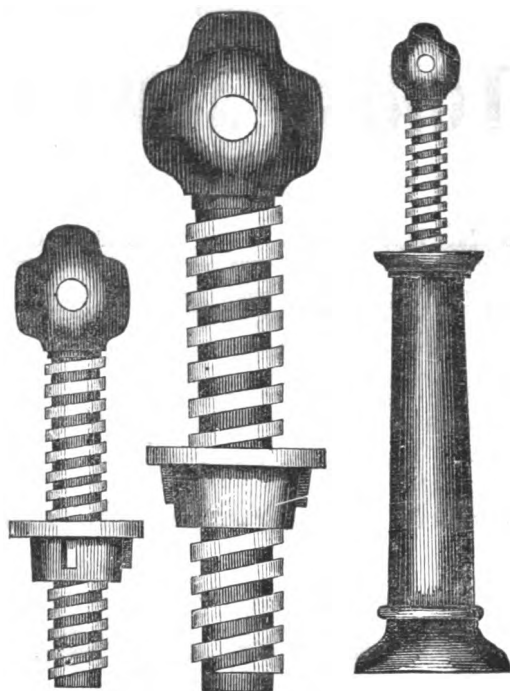
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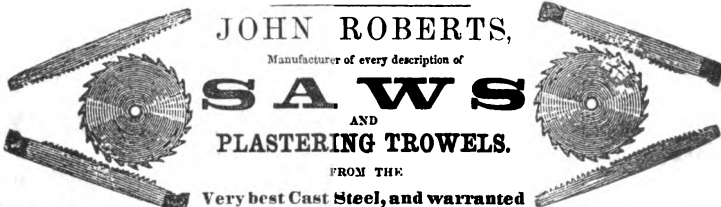
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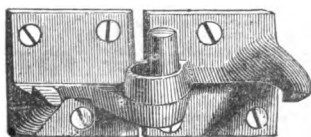
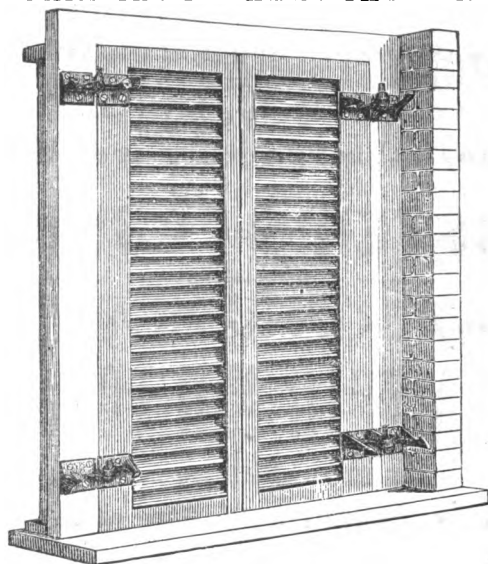


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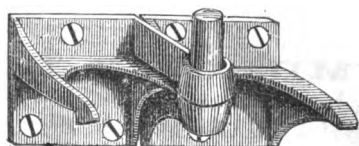
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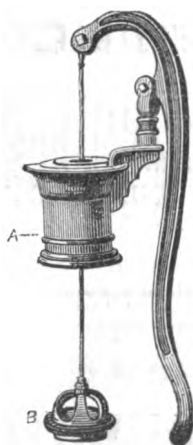
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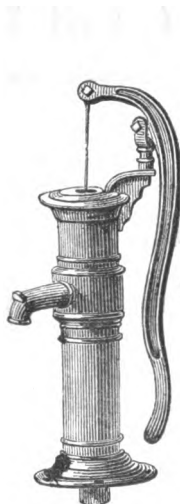
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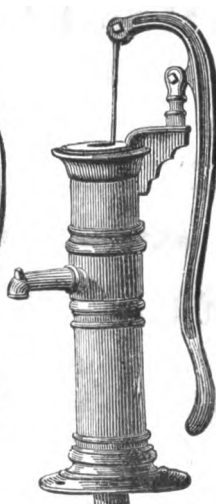
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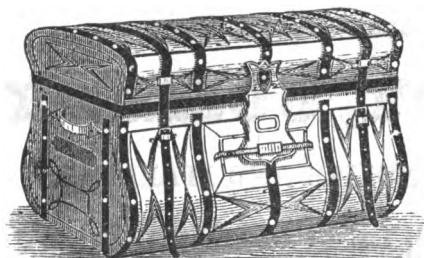
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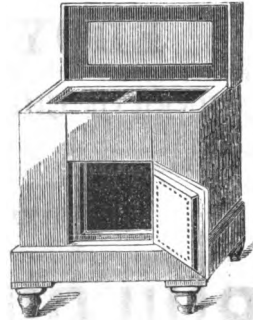
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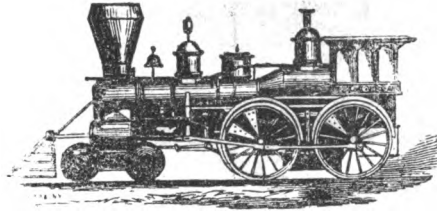
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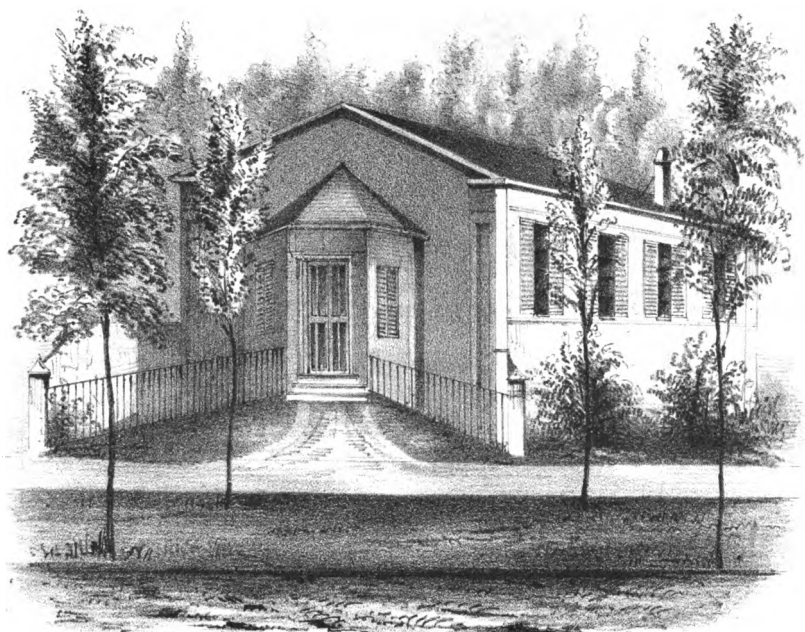
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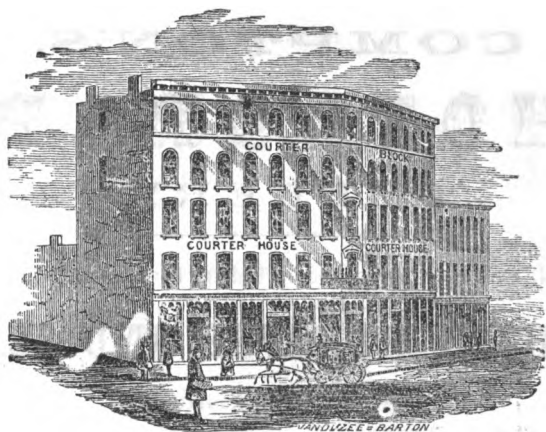
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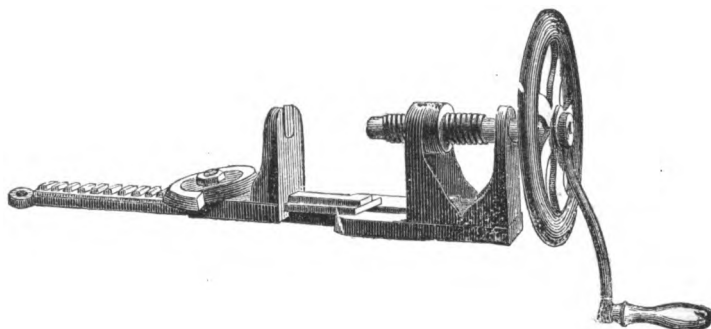
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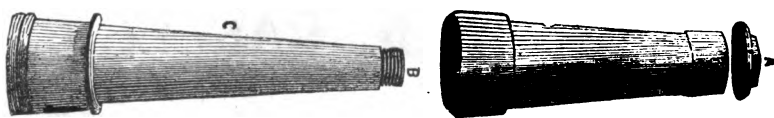
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Physicians and Druggists can rely upon having articles that are pure and of the first quality, at the lowest market prices. Our trade is not mixed up with Patent Medicines, but confined exclusively to the legitimate drug business.

We solicit an examination of our store and its arrangements, our stock and prices.

 *Orders will meet with prompt attention. Dealers furnished with Price Current if desired.*

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The splendid store of V. C. PRICE & Co., Brisbane Block, is of our most popular resorts for professional men and others. The assortment is large and comprehensive, and is therefore a favorite with physicians. The prescription department is in charge of a person who has had due experience, and who is proof against mistakes. Two elegant Soda Fountains have been erected in this store, to supply the needs of perspiring humanity during the rigor of the heat. A practical chemist is employed by this firm, who spends his entire time in the laboratory. PRICE & Co. have been in Buffalo only a short time, but any one can see that they are successfully competing with our older houses. Another large and well to do Drug establishments is that of O. H. P. CHAMPLIN, corner Main and West Eagle. Mr. CHAMPLIN has long been engaged in the business and is as reliable as the sun. Besides a regular stock of drugs, medicines, perfumery, soaps and fancy articles, he deals largely in the best patent medicines, among them are Dr. McCLINTOCK's celebrated and highly excellent publications.

We may also mention as worthy of confidence, the staunch house of DEMERAST & HOLMAN, JOHN J. GIBBINS, and that of C. F. WRIGHT, which, though less pretensions than some others are not to be passed by without a hearty recognition.—*Publishers.*

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American Express Company.

We have often wondered why the history of the "Express" movement has never been written, for the pleasure and edification of mankind. Only a few years ago its operations were confined to a single carpet-bag; now it calls in requisition cars, vessels, ships, steamboats and whatever traverseth the land or the water. Then its capital was a quarter of a dollar and a manly purpose; now it is counted by millions. The success of the company of which we write is unprecedented—a result of promptness, care and dispatch. The world could not do without Express Companies, now that their utility is known. As well might we dispense with railroads and telegraphs, and the other cardinal conveniences of life.—*Publishers.*

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The reputation of Buffalo—the Queen of the Lakes—for first class Hotels, is a matter of history. The opinions of the travelers who have sojourned with us, at various times and seasons, are as fair and favorable as a June morning, in this regard. If people can obtain a good meal, a nice room and comfortable bed—as well as polite attentions—anywhere, they surely can in Buffalo. For instance, there is the Clarendon, located at the junction of five streets, commanding a splendid view of the city and Lake Erie, and convenient to all the principal depots and docks. A right excellent house is the Clarendon, in all respects.

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Besides these, we have the American, Mansion, Wadsworth, Courter House—this is one of the newest and best of our Hotels—Brown's, Bennett's Temperance House, Franklin, Western and Dayton, all of which are fit for the abode of a king. The nomadic world need never fear as to accommodations and luxuries in Buffalo.—*Publishers.*

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The process of type making is a very interesting one, as those who visit LYMAN'S Foundry will easily discover. This is a large and flourishing concern—employs the constant services of forty men—and furnishes all kinds of newspaper, book and job type at short notice and upon reasonable terms. In one sense, a type maker is a tailor—for he is constantly providing new suits. LYMAN has achieved an enviable notoriety in his business. Many of the best newspapers in the United States are printed upon his type. He strives to succeed, by every possible means that is fair, and we are right glad that his labors are blessed with success.—*Publishers.*

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JOHN T. NOYE manufactures a superior French Burr Mill Stone, and deals in Mill Furniture, Portable Mills, etc. His manufactured and imported articles possess the *prestige* of universal success, being complimented on all sides by those who have subjected them to the most rigid tests. Mr. NOYE deserves his success if any man does.

WESTON, COGSWELL & Co., are in the same line of business, manufacture BUTLER'S celebrated Flouring Mill, and deal in Mill Machinery generally. They are also Agents for the most approved Smut Machines. These gentlemen are the successors of LOWELL, WRIGHT & Co., and are upright and liberal tradesmen. They possess every qualification requisite in their business, and superintend, in person, every work turned out from their establishment. Any person requiring articles in their line of business, we commend most cheerfully to the above mentioned gentlemen. See advertisements.—*Publishers.*

Troy Bell Foundry.

This Foundry stands A No. 1 in turning out bells of all kinds. We speak from experience, when we say that the church bells manufactured at this foundry, by Messrs. JONES & HITCHCOCK, are the most reliable, and contain the most durability of sound of any bells in the country. We cheerfully commend them to the consideration of any in search of Church, Factory, Steamboat or Plantation Bells. See advertisement on page 179.—*Publishers.*

Defiance Salamander Safes.

ROBERT M. PATRICK, of New York city, is the sole manufacturer of these celebrated Safes, for the United States. They have a wide reputation for security against flames and burglars, and are equal to any safe now before the public. Messrs. PARMELEE & HADLEY are the agents for Buffalo.—*Publishers.*

Oil Manufacturer --- F. S. Pease.

We take particular pleasure in calling attention to the advertisement of F. S. PEASE, manufacturer of various kinds of oils—an advertisement which shows that his establishment is no single horse affair, but that it is worthy of extended mention. Mr. PEASE is a young man, but an industrious, indefatigable and already famous one. The improvements which he has made in the manufacture of oil are signal ones, such as has attracted the attention of experienced and scientific men, and have caused his oils to come into general favor.

We have lately inspected a number of testimonials addressed to Mr. PEASE, by engineers of steamers and railroads, heads of the largest manufacturing establishments, chemists, etc., in the United States and Canadas, all of whom speak in terms of unmeasured praise concerning these oils. Mr. PEASE manufactures some fifteen or twenty different kinds, for different purposes, and it is a remarkable fact that *all* of them are pronounced *ne plus ultra*, by the best judges. It would not be strange if he failed in one or two of his attempts—but the fact that he has not done so, proves that he is unusually talented, and that his oils are of superior quality. The secret of his success partially lies in the fact that he is constantly laboring after greater perfection, by means of experiment, comparison, observation, etc.

Mr. PEASE has lately received orders from Government for a large quantity of oil, to be used for light houses and other purposes—a fact which proves not only that his fame has gone abroad, but one that, also, resolves itself into a signal compliment to his manufactures. His oil is also used in many of the heaviest printing establishments in the United States. We have noticed testimonials from some of the largest and well known houses in New York city, which go to show that the oils are as represented, superior to any other.

We might enter into a description of the various oils prepared by Mr. PEASE, but as they are specified in the advertisement, this is rendered unnecessary. We have already said quite enough to show that his manufactures are of a character and quality which place them beyond the reach of competition—and have proved that they are not only approved, but demanded, for practical use, by those whose opinions are most valuable. Wishing Mr. PEASE all success, we pass on.—*Publishers.*

Agricultural Implements.

There is but one name under this head, and that is our worthy and esteemed townsman, JOHN A. PITTS. He is known the world over, and more particularly to the “staunch old farmer.” Mr. PITTS’ Patent Thresher and Cleaner is universally known and universally esteemed. It stands now, as it always has, the *best machine of the kind*. His “Improved Double Pinion Horse Power,” and “Patent Corn and Cob Mill,” are worthy of the examination of the farming community. See advertisement on page 162.—*Publishers.*

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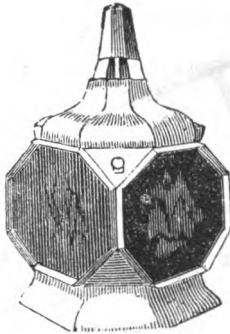
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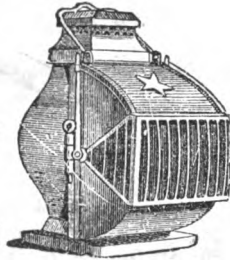
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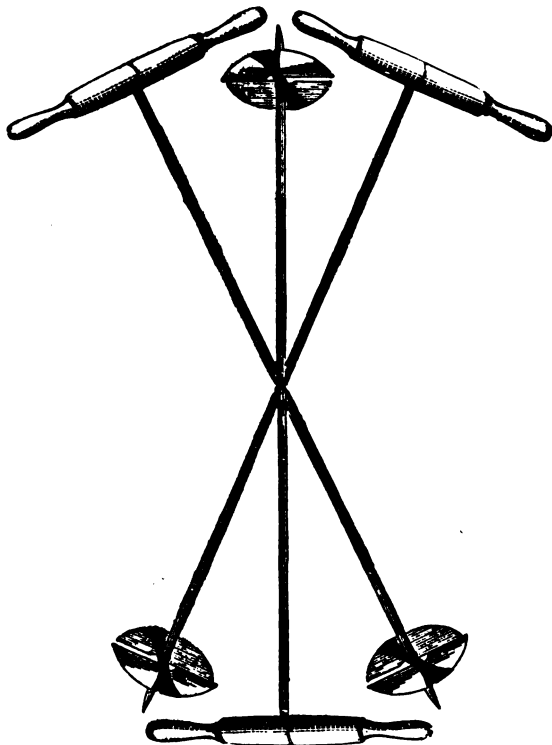
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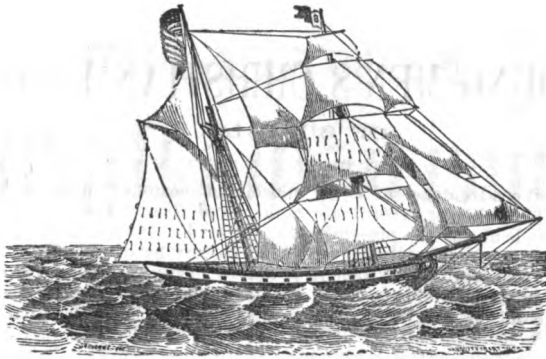
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Our design is to notice the one formed in our own city and now actively engaged in using the various means of spreading the knowledge and influence of christian principles among the masses. From a statement of its first President, N. A. HALBERT, Esq., made at the opening of the new rooms of the Association, in Kremlin Hall, we learn that it was organized on the 20th of May, 1852, with about forty members—young men connected with the different churches of the city—and incorporated in May, 1853. By its constitution all persons of good moral character are admitted to membership, but its officers must be members of evangelical churches. Its proposed objects are, to promote the social, intellectual and religious improvement of young men. Particular attention is paid to bringing young men who come from other places, to reside in Buffalo, under proper moral and religious influences, by aiding them in the selection of boarding places, introducing them to the members and privileges of the Association, and persuading them to attend regularly some place of worship on the Sabbath. Soon after its organization, with these objects in view, rooms were procured and supplied with a library and the leading religious journals of the different denominations. Its first year closed with three hundred members. During its second year, arrangements were made, not only to secure enlarged means of improvement to the members, but to interest and employ them in the active duties of appropriate christian exertion. Several of the churches engaging to furnish Bibles and tracts for the purpose of distribution throughout the city, these works were both undertaken and a system adopted which has since been followed and improved for greater efficiency as experience has directed and as means and men to use them have increased. During its second year it also sustained a course of lectures on sacred history, delivered by clergymen of the city. These were continued and a course of general public lectures instituted, during the third year, which, with the lectures on sacred history, are still maintained. At the close of the third year, the membership had risen to seven hundred, and the library to six hundred volumes. During this year, the large and central, as well as convenient and beautiful, public hall known as the Kremlin was built by Messrs. OLIVER BUGBEE and Dr. H. N. LEWIS.

It had become evident that the increasing operations and usefulness of the Union demanded much greater accommodations than they had thus far possessed. Though the size and convenience of the Kremlin and its accompanying rooms were greater than the present need of the Union, and the expense beyond their present resources, the locality was every way desirable. The liberality of the churches and private friends of the Union met the difficulty of increased expense by a subscription, for the purpose of hiring and furnishing the Hall and other rooms, as well as enlarging the library and supply of periodicals.

Kremlin Hall, with the accompanying rooms for library, committees, &c., was rented for five years, with a privilege of renewal for five years more. The Hall has been appropriately furnished, and the library increased by the outlay of \$1000, for suitable books, and by the generous donations of several friends. In extending its operations, the present year has been marked by the introduction of a system of Mission Sabbath Schools. On the second Sabbath morning of each month, a prayer meeting is held, in accordance with the recommendation of the National Convention of Christian Associations, held in June last. On the first Monday evening of each month, a literary meeting is held for debate and the reading of essays. These meetings are open to the public and are becoming more and more interesting, and attended by increasing numbers. During the summer months, an afternoon Bible class is held every Sabbath, in the library room. A monthly meeting is also held for the purpose of hearing the reports of the various committees having charge of the religious enterprises which the Union has undertaken.

In all these various ways the Union is well adapted to concerted action. Its committees are selected from all the evangelical churches, and by a due distribution, taking its appropriate part from each alike, must tend to promote a *harmony of christian hearts in one common working together* to do good, which perhaps no other agency could.

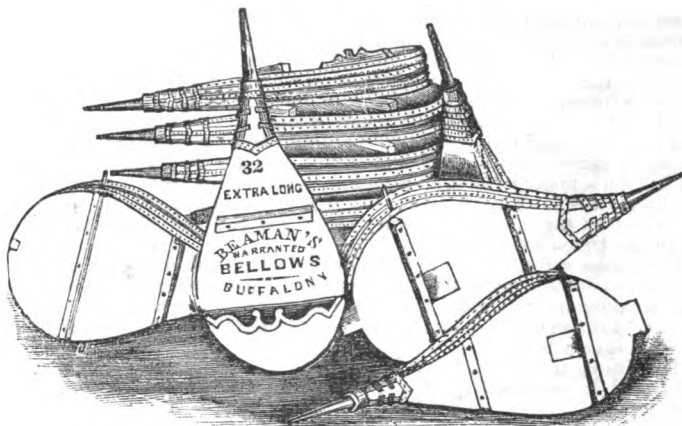
The closing remarks of Mr. HALBERT's address are worthy of all attention:

"It will be perceived that we have a comprehensive field: Bible and tract distribution, by which we reach the masses of the poor and destitute; Mission Sabbath Schools conducted upon a uniform and efficient plan; courses of lectures which, while they gratify an intellectual taste, shall inculcate a sound morality; a library that repudiates the frivolous and morbidly sentimental, but shall comprehend science, general literature and the rich masses of christian learning. Our experience has shown that the main object of all, the religious welfare of young men, can in no way be so well secured as by enlisting our members heartily in such enterprises as we have undertaken."

The results of such an agency as this in an influential and growing city, it is not for man to count. Yet, more baffling to all human calculation is the study of the results of similar agencies, now more fully organized in most of the principal cities of our own country and many of the most important cities of the Old World. For ourselves, we look to it with confident hope that God has raised up in this way the opportunity for a *united* religious action of christian laborers in a degree of harmony which no other organization of a too much sect-divided church presents. It is a study for the christian philosopher, how far this *acting, working* Union of Christians of all denominations, not in distant fields where they are merely represented, but at their own doors, in their own cities, where they work, and counsel, and pray so *one-ly*, is capable of healing the breaches and concentrating in one again the energies of the church of God.

In yet another light these Unions of christian young men are an object of deep interest to the patriot. Amid all the contentions of political economists, about the best form of government, and all its related questions, it is as much a maxim of sound policy as of true piety, "Righteousness exalteth a nation." It is too late in the day to doubt the supremacy of the christian system above all others to promote this national honor. Let the patriot cast his eye over a country dotted with active, energetic companies of young men, giving all the warmth of early piety, and all the strength of youthful vigor to spread that Christian truth which has quickened their own hearts through the whole people, high and low, rich and poor. If, above all triumph of any special political parties, based simply upon some question of the proprieties of political government, the christian patriot is to realize his hope of our country in a condition of which may be written "Happy is that people whose God is the Lord," may not these bands of the young be his greatest encouragement to hope for it? That it may be so realized, we deem they do give good ground of hope. God speed them, one and all.

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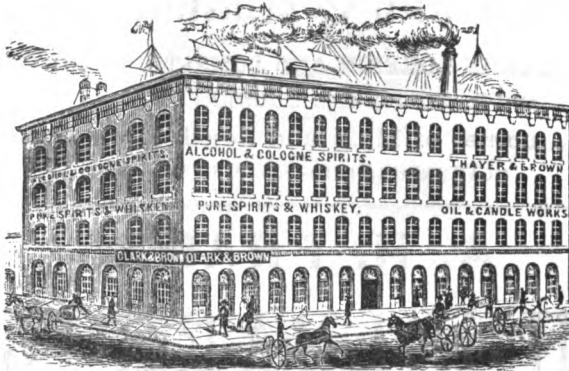
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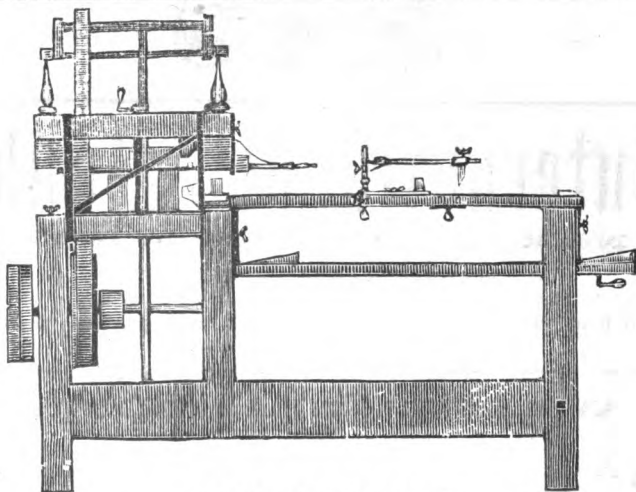
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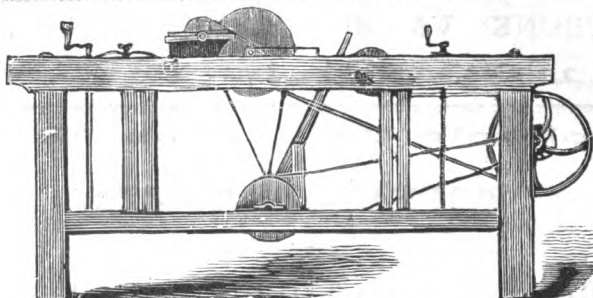
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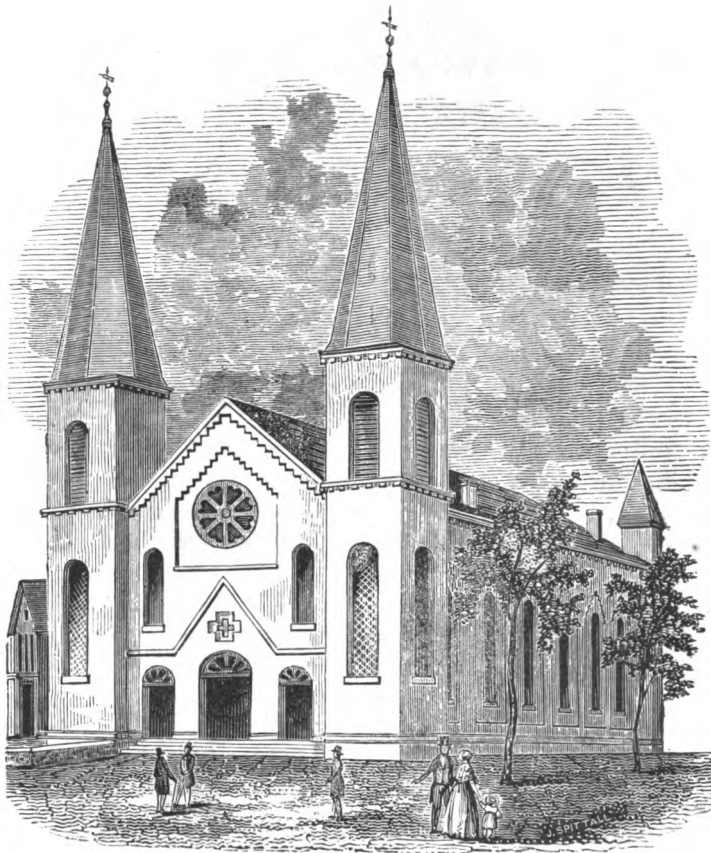
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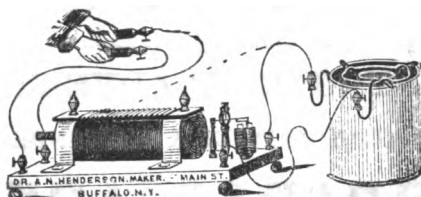
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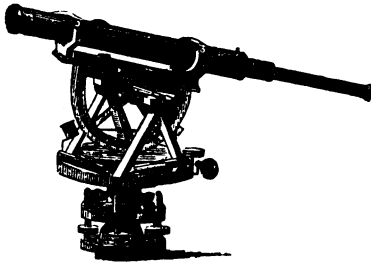
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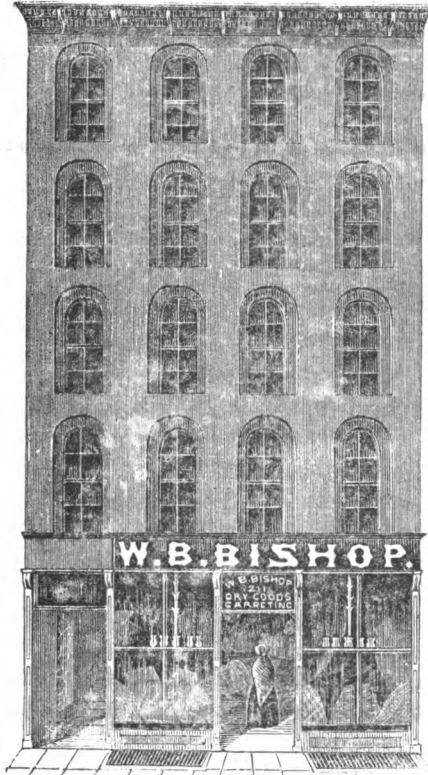
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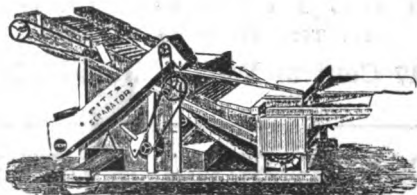
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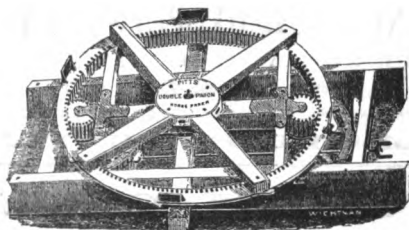
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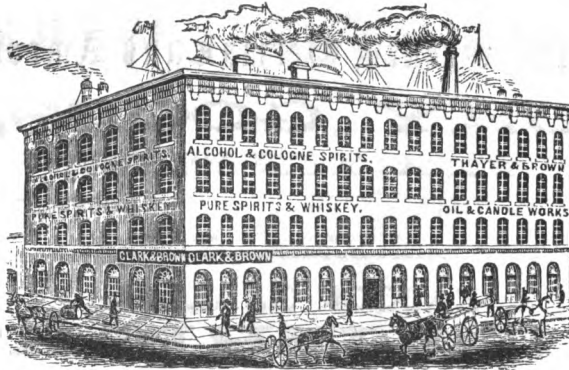
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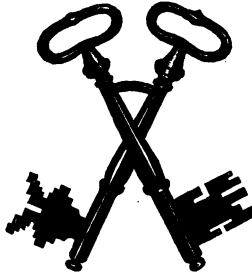
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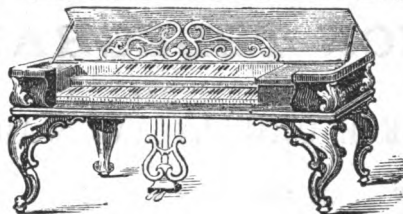
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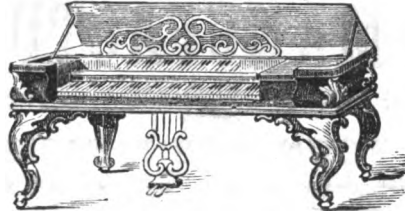
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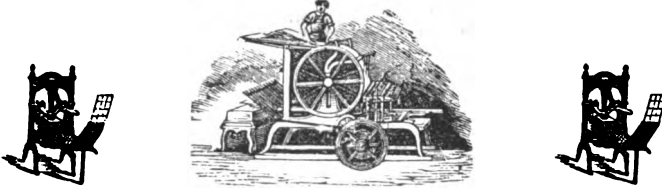
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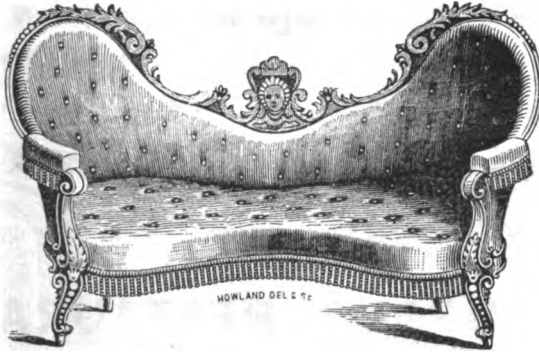
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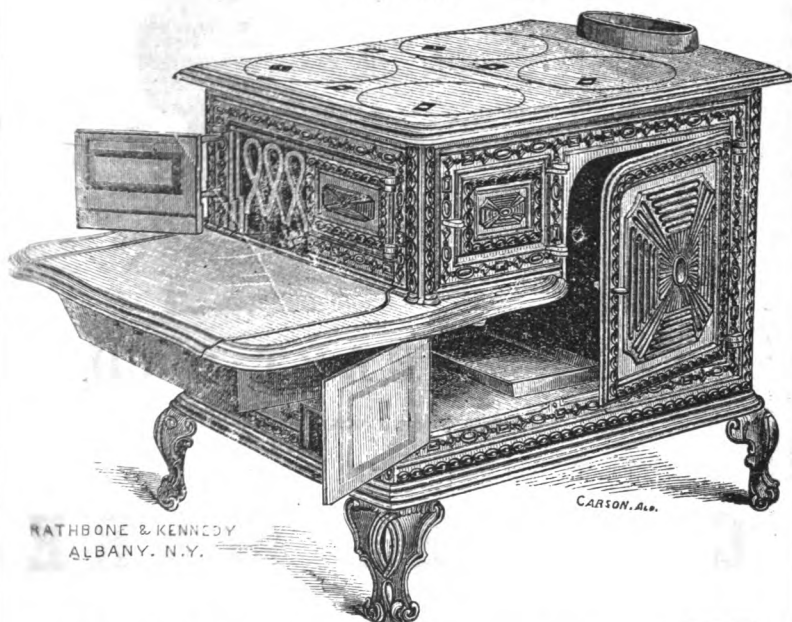
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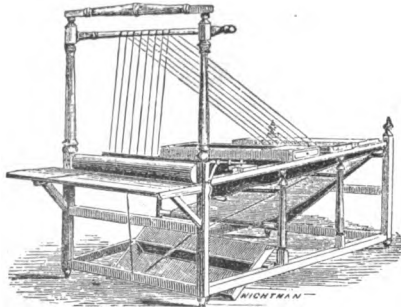
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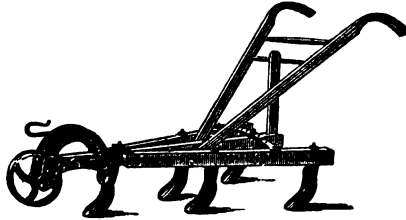
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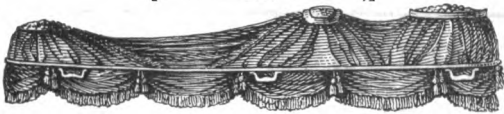
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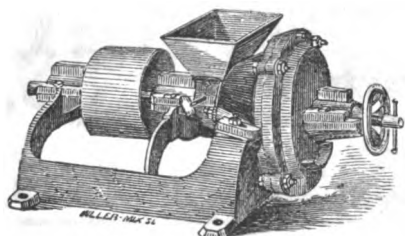
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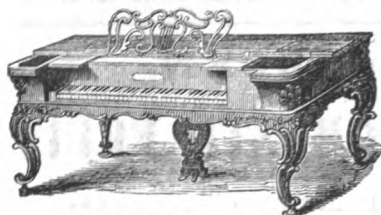
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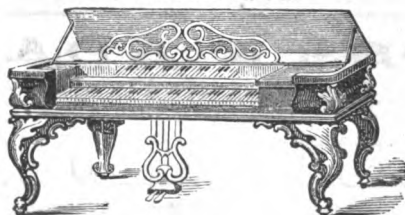
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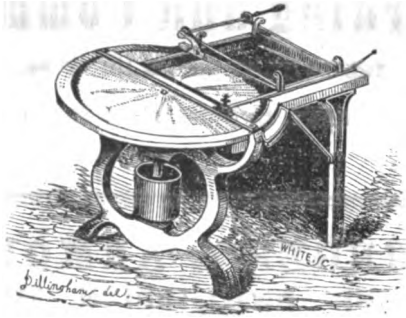
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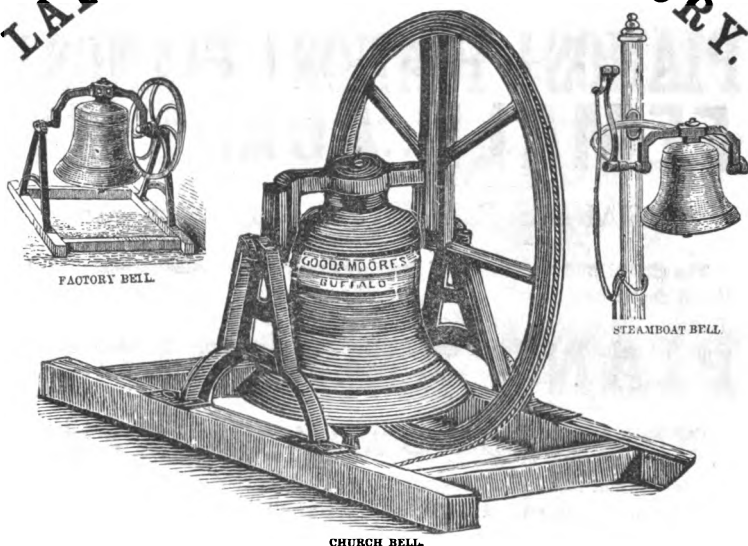
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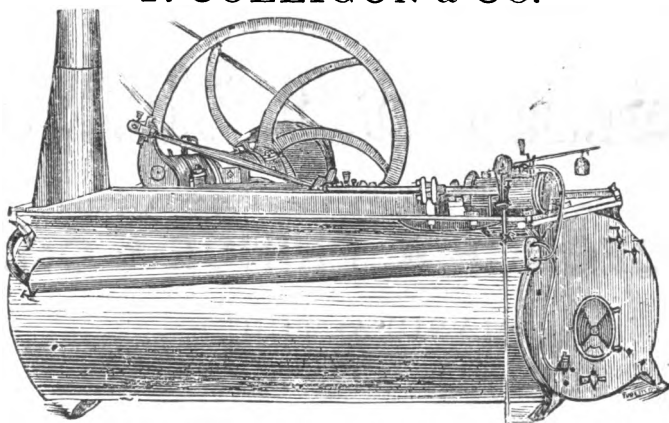
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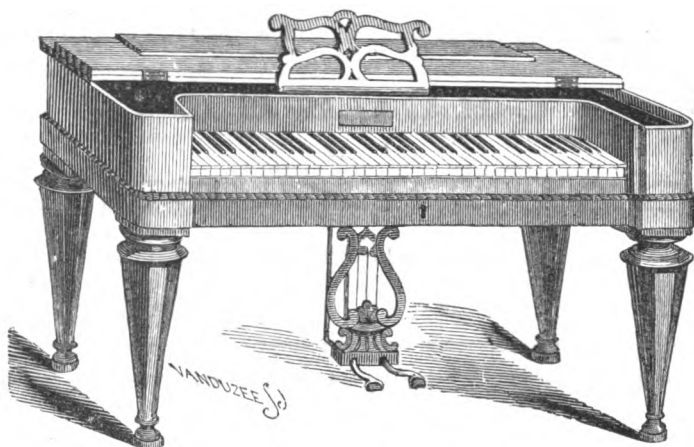
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PUBLISHERS' NOTICE.

It will be observed that Messrs. PRATT & Co., 28, 30 and 32 Terrace street, Iron and Hardware Merchants, occupy a large number of pages in our Directory. We should expect, from this liberal method of advertising, a sure, permanent and increasing return, and we are happy to understand that this is their experience. Judicious advertising is the greatest possible economy. How can a Business House, situated in a place like Buffalo, compete with others in like trade, in the large cities, without taking effectual means to let it be known that the House is in existence, and that it *has the stock to sell*? The buyer must be informed, in some way, *where goods are*, or he cannot purchase them. We verily believe that the standing and success of Messrs PRATT & Co. are a guaranty that the method they adopt in this respect, together with their high talent of conducting business, their enterprise and promptness, in not only planning but *executing* what they plan, and their firm, independent and honest character is worthy of imitation by every business man.

The establishment above spoken of is one of the best systemized, and most extensive in this country. And what it has done and is accomplishing in the Iron and Hardware business may be obtained in our city in any legitimate branch of trade. We should like to see the jobbing business of Buffalo vastly increased, in all the great staples of trade. We have some very heavy dealers already in various branches, but the business of the place may be greatly increased by proper appliances. Among the essential aids of jobbing is *manufacturing*. No parties understand this better than Messrs. P. & Co. Hence we find them acting as *agents*, and in every way encouraging some of our heaviest manufacturing establishments. They are thus connected with the "*La Fayette Brass and Bell Foundry*," an establishment manufacturing all kinds of Brass Work, Bells, Leather Belting, &c.; with the "*Niagara Steam Forge*," which uses "*Nasmyths & Watts*'' Steam Hammers,—there are four Trip Hammers, and other machinery, making its own Iron, and turning out all kinds and all weights of hammered shapes. Also, with the "*Niagara Pail and Tub Factory*'' located in this city, which is in the full tide of successful operation, producing large quantities of the most beautiful and substantial ware. They are also connected with the "*Buffalo Rolling Mill and Nail Factory*," the extent and perfection of which is not dreamed of by the mass of our citizens; also with the "*Buffalo Bellows Factory*;" an institution which turns out *fifteen hundred* Blacksmith's Bellows per annum, all of which are sold by Pratt & Co. But this is not the extent of the business of said firm; they do not confine themselves to the "home industry" alone; their immense trade has been gathered in from all quarters of the country, but more particularly from the Canadas and Western States. They open the very best market for many of the largest manufacturing establishments in other places, thereby demonstrating that Buffalo is a point at which not only a large manufacturing but also a large jobbing business can be done.

We are told that the firm of Messrs. P. & Co., has during the past year done a business to the amount of \$1,500,000. They employ in their store about ninety men, all of whom are men of good moral character and competent business-men, many of them with families. So that every establishment of this description adds essentially to the population, home trade, activity and prosperity of our city.

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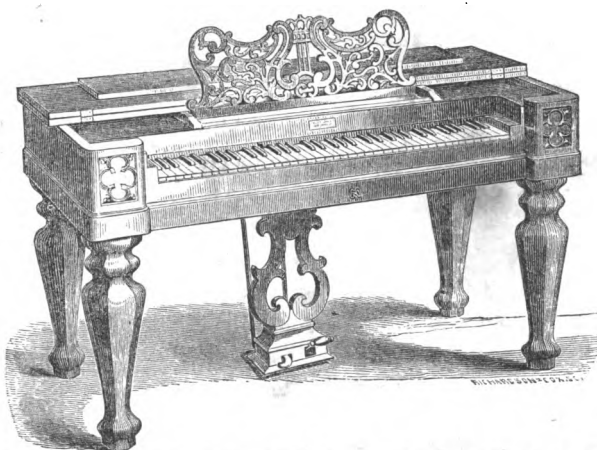
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We would call particular attention to the fact that Mr. CARHART is the INVENTOR and PATENTEE, and that we are the

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And that the most important improvements are only applied to Melodeons of
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4 octave Portable,	5 octave, Piano style—do'ble reeds—extra,
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5 octave, Piano style,	6 octave, Piano style—d'ble reeds, 4 stops,
5 octave, Piano style—d'ble reeds, 2 stops,	7 octave, round corners, carved legs.

Particular attention will be paid to the tuning of Melodeons to order—either soft or loud, equal or unequal temperament. A written guaranty given in all cases, if required.

Letters addressed as above will meet with prompt attention; price lists and circulars sent by mail.

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This famous line consists of three splendid steamers—Western World, Plymouth Rock and Buckeye State—which proceed to Detroit from this port and there connect with trains on one of the finest roads in the country. The two boats first named are models of architectural beauty and nautical excellence—probably as elegant steamers as ever parted American waters. The General Agent of the Line, is CHARLES E. NOBLE, Esq., a gentleman of wide spread popularity, and whose energy and industry are proverbial. Mr. P. DONNER, a prince of good fellows, is the General Traveling Agent. R. N. RICE is the Superintendent of the road, and is the very man for the place. There is no better line than the Michigan Central.—*Publishers.*

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In fact everything in the shape of Printing done to order. Orders received for Binding, Lithographing, Copper Plate Printing, &c., and warranted to suit. Blank Books ruled to any pattern, and bound in the very best style.

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